### **BILL ANALYSIS**

Senate Research Center

S.B. 971 By: Cain State Affairs 6-20-95 Enrolled

### **BACKGROUND**

The State of Texas is in the process of making nonsubstantive revisions to and recodifying its statutes.

#### **PURPOSE**

As enrolled, S.B. 971 recodifies and makes nonsubstantive revisions to statutes relating to transportation, including conforming amendments, repealers, and penalties.

# **RULEMAKING AUTHORITY**

It is the committee's opinion that this bill does not grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

# **SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS**

SECTIONS 1-24. Recodify and make nonsubstantive revisions to statutes relating to transportation, including conforming amendments, repealers, and penalties.

SECTION 25. LEGISLATIVE INTENT OF NO SUBSTANTIVE CHANGE. Provides that this Act is enacted under Section 43, Article III, Texas Constitution. Provides that this Act is intended as a recodification only, and no substantive change in law is intended by this Act.

SECTION 26. SAVING PROVISION. (a) Provides that the revision and recodification of a statute relating to a fund in existence by August 31, 1993, does not re-create the fund and does not constitute the reenactment of a dedication of revenue.

- (b) Provides that a fund or account, the existence of which is derived from a statute revised by this Act and which is abolished under Section 403.094, Government Code, before the effective date of this Act is not revived or re-created by this Act.
- (c) Provides that the application of Sections 403.094 and 403.095, Government Code, to a fund or to the permissible uses of revenue or fund balances is not affected by this Act.

SECTION 27. Effective date: September 1, 1995.

SECTION 28. Emergency clause.